



# St. Vincent de Paul (Osterley) Newsletter

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1<sup>st</sup> May 2022

3rd Sunday of Easter

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**Acts 5:27-32.40-41. We are witnesses of all this, we and the Holy Spirit.** Peter and the apostles are challenged because they preach Jesus crucified and risen from the dead. Neither prison bars nor formal warning will seal the mouths of the apostles.

**Apocalypse 5:11-14. The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given riches and power.** 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' This reading from the last book of the New Testament gives us a vision of heaven.

**John 21:1-19. Jesus stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish.** 'It is the Lord' who makes the breakfast meal, which welcomes the apostles ashore after toil, and affords Peter the opportunity to redeem his three-fold denial of Jesus.

I will praise you, Lord, you have res - cued me. FOC



**Psalm 29: I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me.**

**COVID PRECAUTIONS:** From next week 8<sup>th</sup> May, face masks will no longer be compulsory in Church.

The air handling plant will continue to operate throughout the service changing the air frequently. Our system **does not** recirculate the air but simply expels it and replaces it with fresh air.

Please continue to sanitise your hands as you come into church and use tissues to catch any coughs or sneezes.

**BAPTISM:** We extend a warm welcome to Ava Leonard and Mikael Crasto who are being baptised today. May they be blessed with God's love and a life filled with blessings. Congratulations to both their families.

**PRIEST TRAINING FUND:** Next Sunday is Good Shepherd Sunday, the day we pray for priests and for vocations to the priesthood.

The annual collection for the Priest Training Fund will take place next weekend. This fund pays for the priestly formation of men for the Catholic priesthood. There are currently 58 men studying at Allen Hall seminary, 17 of whom are from our own Diocese, and two men are studying in Rome, also from our Diocese. Last year four men who studied at Allen Hall were ordained to the priesthood to serve as our future priests. This fund also supports the ongoing enrichment and formation of our ordained priests.

Your generous donation helps ensure we can support these men who are called to be like Christ, the Good Shepherd. Donation envelopes are available in the back of the church.

Please take one home, read the information, and bring it back next weekend with your donation.

Please continue to pray for vocations and for our priests.

You can use the QR code to make your donation online or visit [www.rcdow.org.uk/donations](http://www.rcdow.org.uk/donations). Thank you for your generosity.

**POLLING STATION:** St. Vincent de Paul Church Lobby will be used as a polling station next Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May. Entrance into the Church for private prayer and evening mass will be from the car park, via St. Anthony's Chapel.



### PARISH JUSTICE AND PEACE REP:

Following Nicolette Robson's retirement at the end of last year, we need some reliable and enthusiastic parish representatives to take over. We have a volunteer but need another to assist. Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested.

### THE ROSARY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL:

We inspire our pupils to be independent and develop the necessary skills to create a lifelong love of learning through child-led experiences. Our dedicated and passionate team support and nurture each child, ensuring learning takes place through fun, engaging and memorable experiences. We ensure our pupils are ready for the next stage of their education through our personalised transition programme into Reception. To apply, visit our website <http://www.rosary.hounslow.sch.uk> or e-mail [admin@rosary.hounslow.sch.uk](mailto:admin@rosary.hounslow.sch.uk)

The closing date for application forms to be returned to school is 6<sup>th</sup> May 2022. 30-hour places are available. We welcome children of all faiths and cultural backgrounds. Fliers available in the lobby.

**THE PASSAGE**, a Catholic charity working with homeless people is raising funds through the Big Give a matched giving scheme until 12.00 noon on Monday 9 May. Every £1 donated online before 12.00 noon on Monday 9 May makes £2 and £2.25 if you are a taxpayer through Gift Aid. Visit: <https://bit.ly/BigGiveAprilMay22> to support the campaign. The campaign 'It takes more than a house to make a home' focuses on the services we provide to people who have been homeless in their journey to being happily settled in a new home. Contact: 020 7592 1856.

**JOB OPPORTUNITY: WARDEN & CLERK AT ST. SCHOLASTICA'S RETREAT:** Competitive Salary, pension, and accommodation onsite in Princes Risborough, Buckinghamshire. The Trustees are seeking to appoint a Warden & Clerk to the Trustees for this almshouse charity that provides sheltered housing for Catholics in financial need aged 60 or over. Closing date: Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May. For details of the role and how to apply: [www.stscholasticas.co.uk/warden-clerk-vacancy](http://www.stscholasticas.co.uk/warden-clerk-vacancy)

| Service Times & Intentions 1- 8 May 2022                       |                |  |
|--|----------------|--|
| SUNDAY<br>1 MAY  | 0900           | John Da Costa RIP  |
|  | 1130           | Annie Joseph RIP<br>Baptisms: Leonard /Crasto  |
|  | 1800           | Rev. Cyril Pereira RIP   |
| Mon 2  | 0930           | Simon Hutchins RIP RD  |
| Tues 3   | 1930           | Rosemary Stockton RIP  |
| Wed 4  | 0930           | People of the Parish   |
| Thu 5  | 0930           | Margaret Curran RIP 10th Anniv   |
| Fri 6  | 0930           | Amy Burling RIP  |
| Saturday 7   | 0930           | People of the Parish   |
|  | 10-10.30       | Confession   |
|  | 1100           | Benediction  |
| SUNDAY<br>8 MAY  | 0900           | Helen & Peter Fernandez Special Intention / Rosada, Silvester & Thomas Baptista, Remy Carvalho RIP |
|  | 1130           | Miguela Sicut RIP  |
|  | 1800           | Souls in Purgatory RIP   |
| <b>Rosary:</b> 7 p.m. before the Tuesday weekday evening mass. |                |  |
| <b>Offertory:</b> Thank you for your offerings last Sunday.    |                |  |
| <b>Contactless</b>   | 669.53         |  |
| <b>Loose Plate</b>   | 206.77         |  |
| <b>Planned Giving Envs</b>                                     | 192.55         |  |
| <b>Standing Orders</b>   | 1497.00        |  |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>2565.85</b> |  |

### MASS REQUESTS

Mass intentions can be requested via e-mail, by ringing the parish office, or using a donation and gift aid envelope from the lobby. Leave a message and telephone number if necessary. Offerings for masses can be made by cheque or cash deposited in the lobby drop safe in a marked envelope, or by BACS transfer (see details below). The minimum Diocesan recommendation is £10. Masses are confirmed upon receipt of the stipend. For online transfers:

**Bank:** HSBC **Account Name:** WRCDDT Osterley  
**Account No:** 41095889 **Sort Code:** 40 05 20  
**Please reference e.g.** Mass/date of Mass.

### PARISH OFFICE

**PARISH SECRETARY:** Mrs. L. Faria  
**PLANNED GIVING CO-ORDINATOR AND BOOKKEEPER:** Mr. Steve McEvoy.

E-mail: [osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleybk@rcdow.org.uk) T. 07932 783647

**Planned Giving Boxes:** If you have a query, or would like to plan your giving for the first time using envelopes or a standing order, please contact the Parish Bookkeeper using the contact details provided.

**300 Club:** Application forms available in the lobby. Enquiries to the Parish Office.

### ADMIN

**PARISH WEBSITE ADDRESS FOR THE ONLINE**

**NEWSLETTER:** <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/osterley/>

**PARISH REGISTRATION:** Please take a Welcome Pack from the lobby. Completed Registration and Planned Giving forms can be posted through the door of the Parish house or dropped into the lobby safe. Please inform the office if your details change. Thank you.

**MARRIAGES:** 6 months' notice required. Please ring the office to arrange an initial discussion with Fr. Mark.

**BAPTISM:** For parishioners registered and attending at St. Vincent's. Please complete a form (available in the lobby or online) and submit to the Parish Office. You will then be contacted to arrange a baptism date and attend a course when these resume.

### CONTACTS

**SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE:**

Mrs. A. Trigger. Email: [osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleysg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk)

**WEST MIDDX HOSPITAL RC CHAPLAIN:**

Tel. 020 8321 5447.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:** For assistance to the house-bound and those in need. T. 07765 026377

### FIRST COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION 2022:

Group Mass 1/5/22 at 11.30 a.m.

Enquiries: [osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleyfhc1@rcdow.org.uk)

\*Please note it is fhc1 using a digit/number 1 (one)

**CONFIRMATION 2022:** Mon. 9/5/22. Unit 7.

6.30-7.40 p.m.

### CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE (CCP):

This is only applicable for parents who wish to send their children to a catholic (or Church of England) primary or secondary school. The Diocese requires that families attend regularly (this means attending Mass every Sunday) for at least two years before a priest is able to sign the Certificate of Catholic Practice. To assist the parish in signing CCP forms, the parish operates a Mass attendance Card system (see below).

### MASS ATTENDANCE CARD

Stickers for pupils in school Year 5 and under.

Stickers for pupils in Year 9 (for Year 12)

Stickers will be given after Mass, before you leave.

Stickers are not issued in August.

It will be your responsibility to look after the card and bring it every week.

**If you require a mass attendance card or if you have a question about a CCP certificate, please email**

**[osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:osterleyccp1@rcdow.org.uk)** \*NB ccp1 using a

digit/number 1 (one) **Include your child's full name,**

**passport sized photo and School Year in September**

**2021.** Once requested by email, cards and stickers can

be collected in the lobby of the church after mass.

CCP Contact Tel. 07542441846. Leave a message.